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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

Attorney Docket No.	62,453-015
First Inventor	Joseph M. Gabriele
Title	ASEPTIC ENCLOSURE FOR MEDICAL EQUIPMENT AND METHOD OF MAKING SAME
Express Mail Label No.	EV016365763US

APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents

1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)
   (Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status.
   See 37 CFR 1.27.
3. ☒ Specification   [*Total Pages* (21)]
   (preferred arrangement set forth below)
   Descriptive title of the invention
   Cross reference to related applications
   Statement regarding Fed sponsored R & D
   Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a
      Computer program listing appendix
   Background of the Invention
   Brief Summary of the invention
   Brief Description of the Drawings
   Detailed description
   Claim(s)
   Abstract of the Disclosure
4. ☒ Drawing(s) *(35 USC 113)* [*Total Sheets* (2)]
5. ☒ Oath or Declaration   [*Total Pages* (2)]
   a. ☒ Executed (original copy)
   b. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63
      (d))
      (for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)
      i. ☐ DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)
         Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s)
         Named in the prior application, see 37 CFR
         1.63(d)(2) and 1 33(b).
6. ☐ Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

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7. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or
   Computer Program (*Appendix*)
8. ☐ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission
   (if applicable, all necessary)
   a. ☐ Computer Readable Form (CRF)
   b. Specification Sequence Listing on:
      i. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or
      ii. ☐ paper
   c. ☐ Statements verifying identify of above copies

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
10. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement ☐ Power of Attorney
    (when there is an assignee)
11. ☐ English Translation Document (*if applicable*)
12. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement ☐ Copies of IDS
    (IDS)/PTO-1449   Citations
13. ☐ Preliminary Amendment
14. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
    (Should be specifically itemized)
15. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)
    (if foreign priority is claimed)
16 ☐ Request and Certification under 35 USC 122
    (b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35
    or its equivalent.
17 ☒ Other: Check for the payment of the filing fee

18. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, *check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment, or in an Application Data sheet under 37 CFR. 76:*
   ☐ Continuation   ☐ Divisional   ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application no.: _____/_____
   Prior application information: Examiner _____   Group Art Unit: _____
   For CONTINUATION or DIVISIONAL APPS only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered a part of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation **can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts.**

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Application Number	Herewith
Filing Date	11-7-01
First Named Inventor	Joseph M. Gabriele
Examiner Name	Not Yet Assigned
Group Art Unit	Not Yet Assigned
Attorney Docket No.	62,453-015

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT	($) 1,052.00

METHOD OF PAYMENT

1. ☐ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge indicated fees and credit any overpayments to

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Deposit Account Name: **Howard & Howard**

☒ Charge Any Additional Fee Required Under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1 27

2. ☒ **Payment Enclosed:**
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FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity Fee Code	Fee ($)	Small Entity Fee Code	Fee ($)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
101	740	201	370	Utility filing fee	740
106	330	206	165	Design filing fee	0
107	510	207	255	Plant filing fee	0
108	740	208	370	Reissue filing fee	0
114	160	214	80	Provisional filing fee	0

SUBTOTAL (1) ($) 740.00

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
Total Claims	28 -20** = 8	X 18	= 144
Independent Claims	5 - 3** = 2	X 84	= 168
Multiple Dependent		0	= 0

Large Entity Fee Code	Fee ($)	Small Entity Fee Code	Fee ($)	Fee Description
103	18	203	9	Claims in excess of 20
102	84	202	42	Independent claims in excess of 3
104	280	204	140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
109	84	209	42	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
110	18	210	9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

SUBTOTAL (2) ($)312.00

**or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see above*

FEE CALCULATION (continued)

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity Fee Code	Fee ($)	Small Entity Fee Code	Fee ($)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
105	130	205	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
127	50	227	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139	130	139	130	Non-English specification	.
147	2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for *ex parte* reexamination	
112	920*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	1,840*	113	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115	110	215	55	Extension for reply within first month	
116	400	216	200	Extension for reply within second month	
117	920	217	460	Extension for reply within third month	
118	1,440	218	720	Extension for reply within fourth month	
128	1,960	228	980	Extension for reply within fifth month	
119	320	219	160	Notice of Appeal	
120	320	220	160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	280	221	140	Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	240	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141	1,280	241	640	Petition to revive - unintentional	
142	1,280	242	640	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	460	243	230	Design issue fee	
144	620	244	310	Plant issue fee	
122	130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
123	50	123	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
126	180	126	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
581	40	581	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
146	740	246	370	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
149	740	249	370	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1 129(b))	
179	740	279	370	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
169	900	169	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	

Other fee (specify) _____

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